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If you are troubled with chronic constipation, the mild and gentle effect of Chamberlain's Tablets makes them especially suited for your case. For sale by all druggists.

Furniture

Having purchased all the stock in the business of the Boone Furniture Co., I am prepared to sell you anything in my line at a very reasonable figure. Dressers, Bureaus, Chairs, Bed Steads, Bed Springs, Mattresses, etc. Give me a call when in need of anything in the line of furniture.

Store in Watauga County Bank Building.
Respectfully,
JESSE F. ROBBINS.

PROFESSIONAL

VETERINARY SURGERY.

I have been putting much study on this subject, have received my diploma, and am now well equipped for the practice of Veterinary Surgery in all its branches, and am the only one in the county. Call on or address me at Villa, N. C. R. F. D. 1.
G. H. HAYES,
Veterinary Surgeon.
5-17-11.

Dr. E. M. MADRON.

—DENTIST.—
Sugar Grove, North Carolina.
All work done under guarantee, and best material used.
4-13-11.

Dr. NAT T. DULANEY.

—SPECIALIST—
On Internal Medicine and diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Eyes examined for glasses.
36 Fourth St. Bristol, Tenn.

EDMUND JONES

—LAWYER—
—LENOIR, N. C.—
Will Practice Regularly in the Courts of Watauga,
6-1-11.

L. D. LOWE,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,
BANNER ELK, N. C.
Will practice in the courts of Watauga, Mitchell and adjoining counties.
7-6-11

F. A. LINNEY,

—ATTORNEY AT LAW,—
—BOONE, N. C.—
Will practice in the courts of the 13th Judicial District in all matters of a civil nature.
6-11-1911.

J. C. FLETCHER,

Attorney At Law,
—BOONE, N. C.—
Careful attention given to collections.

W. R. LOVILL,

—ATTORNEY AT LAW,—
—BOONE, N. C.—
Special attention given to all business entrusted to his care.
7-9-10

E. S. COFFEY,

—ATTORNEY AT LAW,—
—BOONE, N. C.—
Prompt attention given to all matters of a legal nature. Abstracting titles and connection of claims a speciality.
1-1-11.

COUNTY EXHIBIT.

(Continued from last week.)

J. E. Luther	trav juror	7 30
W. H. Coffey		6 80
John Day		7 60
Nash winebarger		6 50
J. B. Ragan		6 80
S. M. Austin		6 40
G. B. Calaway		7 00
W. C. Lyons		6 30
Jesse Greene		6 55
J. A. Wilkerson		7 20
J. L. Winkler		9 30
L. A. Watson		10 20
L. M. Storie		11 30
J. I. Ragan		9 70
W. M. Harman		9 50
W. H. Townsend		10 20
J. W. Main		10 60
Z. T. Watson	grand	8 60
Nahum winebarger		8 80
J. L. Miller		8 40
N. G. Wheeler		8 50
T. J. Norris		8 50
W. J. Palmer		9 20
A. Watson		8 90
J. L. Moore		8 80
J. S. Winkler		7 80
D. E. Williams		8 00
D. F. South		9 10
H. P. Dougherty		9 10
W. A. Tugman		8 55
W. V. Calaway		9 00
J. D. Brown		8 40
J. E. Parlier		8 30
J. W. Blair		8 30

W. L. Holshouser state vs J. L. Storie	1 10, E. L. Mitchell state vs J. I. Benton and R. Estep	2 65, J. S. Estep state vs J. I. Benton and R. Estep	2 65, L. C. Guy state vs J. I. Benton state vs J. I. Benton and R. Estep	2 65, J. S. Guy state vs J. I. Benton and R. Estep	2 65, G. H. Rowe state vs Sam Ward	1 75, R. Ward state vs Sam Ward	1 75, C. Cook state vs H. Johnson	1 85, Edgar Tufts state vs Geo. Lowe	1 40, Joe Balliff state vs Geo. Lowe	1 40, H. Johnson state vs E. Trivett	1 80, Lee Coffey state vs Ruby Shull	1 95, G. Shook state vs R. Shook	2 65, D. A. Shull state vs R. Shull	1 20, A. P. Moody state vs R. Shull	1 80, C. P. Moore state vs R. Shull	2 10, J. P. Wilkerson state vs Ben Mease	.60, R. Smith state vs Ben Mease	.60, S. Cable state vs E. S. Pierce	1 85, J. L. Trivett at vs Millard Cook	1 62, G. W. McGuire state vs M. Cook	1 62, Manual Brewer state vs L. C. Earp	2 40, Eli Cornell state vs L. E. Earp	1 90, Enoch Swift day juror	9 10, J. L. Storie day juror	2 10.
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June 5, 1911.

G. L. Storie agent for C. Bentley	4 50, G. L. Storie agent for W. E. Robbins	8 00, W. H. Calaway agent for Geo. Townsend	6 00, T. A. Critcher agent for L. Triplett	6 00, Allen Watson agent for C. Miller	3 00, Larkin Hodges agent for F. Hodges	7 50, Wm. Walker agt for M. Walker	6 00, L. M. Hodges agt for G. Yerber	6 00, W. L. Holshouser agent for M. Hodges	7 50, J. W. Hodges agent for A. Bentley	6 00, A. J. Wellborn agent for H. Green	6 00, A. Harman agent for F. Harman	6 00, L. G. Maxwell agent for S. H. Black	12 75, M. L. McNeil agent for F. McNeil	6 00, J. T. Hampton agent for N. Carter	6 00, L. A. Green agent for C. Campbell	3 00, J. E. Mitchell agent for L. Mitchell	6 00, E. F. Harman agent for M. Harman	agent for M. Harman	6 00, J. Penny agent for A. Watson	4 50, R. Dahner agent for S. Danner	4 50, J. H. Mast agent for N. and E. Wilson	3 00, All. Watson agent for L. D. Watson	6 00, C. Smith agent for Jas. Smith	4 50, J. S. Flannery agent for N. Bentley	3 00, J. W. Hodges agent for S. Carroll	6 00, N. L. Mast agent for Elva Church	3 00, A. A. Perry agent for Martha Guy	9 00, C. M. Critcher agent for J. M. Justice	6 00, G. Teague agent for R. Hodges	18 50, J. B. Winkler a pauper	3 00, Levi Norman a pauper	6 00, Addie Fox a pauper	6 00, K. Yarbrough a pauper	6 00, D. Hodges a pauper	7 20, John Balid a pauper	9 00, M. E. Harman a pauper	6 00, N. Winkler a pauper	4 50, A. Ward a pauper	1 00, Thos. Reese at vs Grant Reese state vs Grant Reese	1 55, W. B. Greene work on court house	60 00, J. H. Brown keeping county home	62 50, C. J.
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Cottrell member County Board of health 2 10, W. R. Gragg clerk to board Co. Coms. 51 90, F. A. Linney fees in Dan Yates case, 20 00, J. F. Robbins keeping jail, 11 80, Adaline Justice, Pauper, 3 00, T. L. Critcher Surveying road, 2 00, J. C. Cook, road juror, 2 00, W. H. McGuire blanks for county, 9 50, M. B. Blackburn, mem. finance com etc. 2 40, Dr. J. W. Jones serving as Co. physician, 15 00, J. C. Fletcher member Bd. Elections, Atty fees, etc., 14 00, W. D. Farthing stationery postage, etc. 3 10, Nelson Caloway, a pauper, 4 00.

July 3, 1911.

J. H. Brown keeping county home 65 00, J. H. Brown, bringing M. Hartley from Lenoir 7 50, L. M. Norris dynamite etc. for county 11 75, J. M. May services as county commissioner etc. \$20., T. L. Mast & Bro., blasting material for county 9 17, Clerk of Supreme Court half cost in Baldwin case, 4 57, Larkin Hodges burial expenses for Franky Hodges 47 00, T. L. Critcher road surveyor 6 00, W. D. Farthing preparing papers for insane 3 90, Dr. E. F. Bingham examining Dr. Glenn, a lunatic, 2 30, J. T. Hampton listing taxes in Blue Ridge, 42 00, J. L. Glenn listing taxes in Laurel Creek, 46 00, G. C. Greer listing taxes in Cove Creek 46, Wm. Elrod listing taxes in Blowing Rock 38 00, G. W. Robbins listing taxes in Watauga 46 00, Z. T. Watson listing taxes in Bald Mountain 18 00, J. C. Ray listing taxes in Boone 58 00, T. A. Green listing taxes in Meat Camp 30 00, J. W. Hayes listing taxes in Elk 30 00, L. M. Farthing listing taxes in Shawneehaw 14 00, J. M. Younce listing taxes in Stony Fork 46 00, R. C. Rivers publishing notice of change of township line 3 00, W. B. Greens fixing public well 1 00, J. M. Cornell road juror 1 50, J. F. Robbins keeping county jail 12 20, J. M. Moretz services in Avery county election 6 15, W. G. Rees registrar in Avery county election 16 50, C. M. Critcher member county board of elections 4 00.

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A Fathers Vengeance
would have fallen on any one who attacked the son of Peter Bondy, of South Rockwood, Mich., but he was powerless before attacks of Kidney trouble. "Doctors could not help him," he wrote, "so at we gave him Electric Bitters and he improved wonderfully from taking six bottles. Its the best Kidney medicine I ever saw." Backache, Tired feeling, Nervousness, Loss of Appetite, warn of Kidney trouble that may end in dropsy, diabetes or Brights disease. Beware! Take Electric Bitters and be safe. Every bottle guaranteed. 50c at all Druggists.

When a girl realizes that she is as pretty as a picture she naturally wants to be looked at in the best light.

Saved Many From Death.

W. L. Mock, of Mock, A. K., believes he has saved many lives in 25 years experience in the drug business. "What I always like to do," he writes, "is to recommend Dr. Kings New Discovery for weak, sore lungs, hard colds, hoarseness, obstinate coughs, la grippe, croup, asthma or other bronchial affection, for I feel sure that a number of my neighbors are alive and well today because they took my advice to use it. I honestly believe its the best throat and lung medicine that's made." Easy to prove he's right. Get a trial bottle free, or regular 50c or \$1.00 bottle. Guaranteed by all Druggists.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

Is Education Deadening?

Is it true that education is deadening? That is rather a startling question to propound in these columns when Raleigh is entertaining the North Carolina teachers. But, we insist, that the time to raise a hard question is when you can secure an answer to it by those best qualified to give the best answer.

Education means "to draw out," and it does not enable men to send down the bucket and draw out refreshing and strengthening drafts and get resources to gird one in the hour of endurance—if it does not do these two things, is it worth what it costs? On Monday of this week Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, of the Free Synagogue of New York, spoke to a large audience in Springfield Mass., on "Efficiency." In the course of his address he referred to the charge of Mr. Crane, of Chicago, that drunkenness was prevalent in American colleges. Rabbi Wise said that that the real evil was that education had a deadening influence and the universities did not train for service and the Rabbi added:

"Education is today one of the most deadening agencies of life. Education's proper function is that of vitalization. The important thing is not that the school prepares the child to make some kind of a living as to help the child to make something out of life."

"Indignant replies have been made to the charge recently formulated against the American colleges and it has been vehemently asserted that there is not an extraordinary amount of incipient drunkenness in our colleges and universities. The real question is: What are the universities doing for the life of the nation? Is the college training for service? Is the indictment of Wendell Phillips less true today than it was when first framed thirty years ago that the educated men of the nation are recreant to the service of the state?"

What have the educators of north Carolina to say to this sweeping indictment?

Where The Locality Does Not Count.

Wherever there are people suffering from kidney and bladder ailments, from backache, rheumatism and urinary irregularities, Foley Kidney Pills will help them. Belvidere, Ill. E. A. Kelly, an ex-engineer, says: "Three years ago my kidneys became so bad that I was compelled to give up my engine and quit. There was a severe aching pain over the hips, followed by an inflammation of the bladder, and always a thick sediment. Foley Kidney Pills made me a sound and well man. I can not say too much in their praise." For sale at all dealers.

Bloobs—Look at Henpeckle standing out at his front gate in all this storm; he doesn't know enough to go in out of the rain.
Sloobs—"Maybe it isn't that. Maybe his wife is home."

An Alarm at Night

That strikes terror to the entire household is the loud, hoarse and metallic cough of croup. No mistaking it, and fortunate then the lucky parents that keep Foley's Honey and Tar Compound on hand. H. W. Cassleman, Canton, N. Y., says: "It is worth its weight in gold. Our little children are troubled with croup and hoarseness, and all we give them is Foley's Honey and Tar compound. I always have a bottle of it in the house." For sale by all dealers.

Interest the Boys on the Farm.

Children ought to have regular duties, and then have some time for themselves. Our boys all have a corn crop, one has a calf, one a pig, another a colt, another chickens. They are encouraged to have a bank account, but are allowed their money as they please after advising with mother about it; and they are contented, happy lot, with scarcely even a grumbling or cross word about their work or with each other.

If one wants to go squirrel hunting early in the morning, he will get the others to do his work promising a like favor when they want something done. It is enough to make any mother's heart glad to see them take turn about, and by the time it is light get a colt from the stable, and bare-headed, bare-backed, no bridle, with a shepherd dog following, gallop to the back side of the pasture for the cows. I am sure they enjoy it as much as the town boy does his picture show. In summer they go swimming, and one day this summer drew off the pond and had quite an exciting time catching eels. Then fall comes and they gather apples for winter, get bushels and bushels of walnuts and "scaly bars," and pick peas, the half of which is theirs for picking.

Then they are ready for the fair, for which each one has something he wants to take. Sometimes I get tired of all the work incident to a busy farm and almost wish I lived in town; then when I think of what I would do with my six boys in a 50 foot front lot, and when I see them growing up into healthy, happy, hard-working young men I wouldn't exchange places with anybody.—Almaance in Progressive Farmer.

"Best On Earth."

This is the verdict of R. H. Howell, Tracy, O., who bought Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for his wife. Her case was the worst I ever saw, and looked like a sure case of consumption. Her lungs were sore and she coughed almost incessantly and her voice was hoarse and weak. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound brought relief at once and less than three bottles effected a complete cure. For sale by all dealers.

The twinkling of the stars is chiefly an effect produced in the atmosphere upon the waves of light. It is due to currents and strata of air of different densities intermingled and floating past each other, through which the light passes to the eye. It is seen much more in cold than in warm weather and nearer the horizon more than overhead. The same effect may be seen by looking out of a window over a hot radiator, or a candle held on the other side of a hot stove, so that you have to look through a body of heated air at the candle flame. The flame will be seen to waver and quiver. In other words the various layers of air are at different densities and in motion, hence the 'twinkle'—Ex.

A Des Moines man had an attack of muscular rheumatism in his shoulder. A friend advised him to go to Hot Springs. That meant an expense of \$150 or more. He sought for a quicker and cheaper way to cure it and found it in Chamberlain's Liniment. Three days after the first application of this liniment he was well. For sale by all dealers.

Was it a case of love at first sight? No, second sight. The first time he saw her, he didn't know he was an heir.—Judge

Legal Phraseology.

To most persons the phrase "This indenture witnesseth" is as much Greek as the other common phrase "Witness my hand and seal." Yet both are relics of a time when these legal forms carried with them a significance not obtaining at present.

Legal documents were once engrossed upon parchment because paper cost so much more than dressed skin. The parchment was seldom trimmed exactly and the top was scalloped with the knife; hence the term "This indenture." Even where lawyers have departed from the custom of using parchment for their legal forms the phrase has been retained.

In the same way the signature of "hand and seal" is a relic of those olden times when only clerks and the clergy could wield the pen. It was the custom for the contracting parties to lay their hands upon the document in token of good faith, and there remained a smudge. As these original thumb marks were not easily identified, the gentry added their seals for the purpose of further establishing the validity of the document. It may not be generally known that a seal is still required in law, though the need for it passed with the spread of education, and the bit of red paper affixed by the lawyer is as necessary as the signature to certain documents.

A court of law is a reminiscence of the time when justice sat in the open courtyard, and the "dock" is from a German word meaning a receptacle, while the "bar" is a Welsh word meaning a branch of a tree used to separate the lords of justice from their vassals.

The entire phraseology of the bench is reminiscent of the earlier days, but, having been proved proper, has been retained.—New York Herald.

MEXICAN MUSTANG LINIMENT

CURED A BAD SPAVIN.

Mr. B. H. Ivey, Marion, N. C., writes: "My horse had a very bad case of spavin and nothing did any good until I tried your Mustang Liniment. I rubbed the spavin frequently with the liniment and soon saw an improvement. I did this three or four times a day and my horse was completely cured. It is sure to cure if properly used."

MEXICAN MUSTANG LINIMENT

FOR HORNET STINGS.

Mr. S. J. Hudson, Newborn, N. C., writes: "I have used Mexican Mustang Liniment for different ailments and have found it an excellent liniment. At one time my mare was badly stung by hornets but your liniment quickly cured her. I have recommended it to others hundreds of times." 25c, 50c, \$1 a bottle at Drug & Gen'l Stores.

MEXICAN Mustang Liniment

CURES SWINNEY.

Mr. R. S. Shelton, Hill, N. C., writes: "I used Mexican Mustang Liniment on a very valuable horse for swinney and it cured it. I always keep it in my stable and think it the best liniment for rubs and galls." It contains no alcohol and so causes stinging in cases of open wounds or burns. Soothes and cools at once. Just try it.

MEXICAN MUSTANG LINIMENT

For BURNS and BRUISES.

Mr. W. V. Chiles, Raleigh, N. C., writes: "I keep a bottle of Mexican Mustang Liniment in my house constantly for general use. It is a most useful thing in the household. Burns and Bruises."